

**From:** Kester, Tony <[kester@aging.sc.gov](mailto:kester@aging.sc.gov)>  
**To:** [Debbie HammondDebbieHammond@scstatehouse.gov](mailto:DebbieHammond@scstatehouse.gov)  
**Date:** 5/25/2014 7:30:01 PM  
**Subject:** Re: A favor for the Lourie Center

---

I will

Tony Kester  
Aging Director  
South Carolina Lieutenant Governor's Office on Aging  
[1301 Gervais Street, Suite 350](#)  
Columbia, SC 29201  
Phone [803-734-9910](tel:803-734-9910), Fax [803-734-9886](tel:803-734-9886)  
[kester@aging.sc.gov](mailto:kester@aging.sc.gov)

On May 23, 2014, at 9:57 AM, "Debbie Hammond" <[DebbieHammond@scstatehouse.gov](mailto:DebbieHammond@scstatehouse.gov)> wrote:

Please respond. Unfortunately, he can't do it.

---

**From:** Kester, Tony [<mailto:kester@aging.sc.gov>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 22, 2014 10:42 PM  
**To:** Debbie Hammond  
**Subject:** FW: A favor for the Lourie Center

Debbie,

I will be happy to respond to Mary with either answer if you like.

Thanks.

Tony

---

**From:** Mary Kessler [[Mary@louriecentersc.com](mailto:Mary@louriecentersc.com)]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 22, 2014 5:01 PM  
**To:** Kester, Tony  
**Subject:** A favor for the Lourie Center

Dear Tony,

Hope this finds you well. I don't even have to ask if you are busy.

Our Annual Meeting is June 26 at 4pm and our Board of Directors would be truly grateful if our Lt. Governor would be the guest speaker. I know he is leaving his office, but I was hoping he could address the aging issues he has been faced with and the progress he has made in his short tenure. It would not have to be overly long-maybe 25 to 30 minutes and perhaps some questions and answers.

I know he is asked constantly and is has a ton of speaking requests, but if there is any way he can make it we would sincerely appreciate it.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,  
Mary

Mary K. Kessler  
Executive Director  
Lourie Center  
1650 Park Circle, Columbia, SC 29201

Phone: 803-779-1971 x 13

[www.LourieCenterSC.com](http://www.LourieCenterSC.com)

*Providing opportunities for adults over 50 to remain physically fit, socially engaged, intellectually stimulated, and independent*